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STATUS LETTER

Dear Sir:

On February 19, 2004, applicant paid the Issue Fee in connection with the above-noted patent application. Applicant has received a postcard indicating that the issue fee was received by the Patent & Trademark Office. To date, we have not yet received the Issue Notification from the Patent Office in the above-identified application. The PTO Status line indicates "Issue Fee Paid-Not Matched With File."

Since it has been nearly 7 months since the Issue Fee has been paid, it is respectfully requested that attorney for applicant be advised promptly when action may be anticipated.

Dated: September 9, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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